DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814



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ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE 1-31-95

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One or More Counties
[X] Initiated by CDSS

TO:

ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

ALL COUNTY CHIEF WELFARE FRAUD INVESTIGATORS

ALL DISTRICT ATTORNEYS

SUBJECT:

DPA 266 - FRAUD ACTIVITY REPORT

This is to inform you that the Information Services Bureau in conjunction with the Fraud Bureau is reviewing the monthly DPA 266 - Fraud Activity Report (enclosed). This report is used to prepare the annual FSA 4110 - Aid to Families with Dependent Children Program Fraud Activity Report for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the annual FNS 366 - Program and Budget Summary Statement for the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service. The overall goal of this effort is to improve the design and develop a Fraud report that will collect accurate, meaningful information, as well as meet the Federal reporting requirements.

To assist us in this effort, we are requesting <u>both users and reporters</u> of the data on the DPA 266 Fraud Activity Report to provide us with comments and suggestions for improvement. Please submit your comments/suggestions on the enclosed questionnaire to the address listed below by **June 30, 1995**:

California Department of Social Services
Information Services Bureau
744 P Street MS 12-84
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512
Attn: Virginia Uchida

If you have questions, please contact Virginia Uchida of the Information Services Bureau at (916) 657-3289.

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Deputy Director

Administration Division

Enclosures

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Department of Social Services Information Services Bureau 744 P Street, Mail Station 12-81 Sacramento, CA 95914

FRAUD INVESTIGATION ACTIVITY REPORT

Special Investigation Unit (SIU) Placement:		County				
County Welfare Department's Office		For Month Ending (Month, Day, Year) 2				
District Attorney's Office		Per Momn	Ending (Morati, Day.	100()	_	
PART A. INVESTIGATION ACTIVITY				FOOD	ALL OTHER PROGRAMS	
. ITEM	Total (1)		(2)	STAMPS (3)	(4)	
SECTION I. INVESTIGATION REQUESTS 1. Pending Beginning This Month			и		3 10	
Total Requests Received During Month		11	12		14	
a. Early Fraud Prevention/Detection		15	16	(ia ia	
b. Income and Eligibility Verification System (IEVS)		15	20	2		
c. Other Unreported Income		23	24			
d. No Deprivation (AFDC only)		25	26	2	28	
e. Unreported Resources/Assets		29	30	3		
f. Family (Household) Composition		33	34			
g. Misuse (AFDC only)		35	36	3)	38	
h. Duplicate (Multiple) Aid			40			
i Forgery		36	44	4		
j. Residence		43	48	4		
k, Other	1	47	4			
3. Total Requests Available during month		51	52	5.		
4. Total Number of Requests Processed During Month		56	56	5	5.6	
a. Number of Requests Accepted During Month		50	вю	6		
b. Number of Requests Rejected During Month		63	64	6.		
Total Requests Pending at End of Month (Item 3 minus 4)		67	63	ń	70	
SECTION II. INVESTIGATION CASELOAD 6. Pending Beginning This Month		71	72			
7. Number of Requests Accepted During Month	·	76	76			
8. Total Investigations Available During Month (Item 6 plus 7)		"				
9. Total Investigations Completed During Month		83	84	8		
a. Denials (Early Fraud)		87	BA.			
b. Discontinuances (Early Fraud)		91	92			
c. Referred to District Attorney		95	96			
d. Referred to Administrative Disqualification Hearing		90	100			
e. Restitution Closure		103	104	10	}	
f. Administrative Action Closure		107	108	10	110	
		111	112	f1:	114	
g. Allegation Unsubstantiated/Insufficient Evidence		115	116	11	118	
h. Expiration of Statutes.		116	120	12	122	
i. Other.		123	124	12	126	
10. Total investigations Pending at End of Month (Item 8 minus 9)		127	128	15	130	
11. Total Restitution Arranged (Dollar Amounts)	<u>l·</u>			<u> </u>	<u> </u>	

ART B. DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACTIVITY	Total	AFDC (2)	FOOD STAMPS (3)	ALL OTHER PROGRAMS (4)
ITEM	(1)	132	133	1:
Referrals Pending Beginning of This Month(Part B. Item 5 last month, or explain)				1:
	135	136	137	
2. Referrals Accepted During Month	130	140	141	1
Fotal Referrals Available During Month (Sum 1 plus 2)	343	144	145	•
Total Dispositions During Month(Sum Item 4a through 4i)		148	149	
a. Convictions	147			
	151	152	153	}
b. Administrative Action	155	156	157	
c. Disqualification Consent Agreements	159	160	161	
d. Charge Pleaded	163	164	165	
e. Dismissals	167	168	186	1
f. Acquittals	171	172	173	
g. Declinations	175	176	177	,
h. Expiration of Statutes	179	180	18	
i. Olher	183	184	18	5
. Total Reforms Pending at End of Month (Item 3 minus 4)			18	
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. [191	100	10	1
7. Fines/Forfeitures (Dollar Amounts)	195	196	10	7
ART C. COMPLAINTS ISSUED 1. Total Criminal Complaints Issued During Month	199	200	20	1
ART D. ADMINISTRATIVE DISQUALIFICATION HEARING	133			
ACTIVITY 1. Referred for Administrative Disqualification Hearing	203	204	20	15
2. Rejections/Declinations	207	208	50	og.
3. Upheld Convictions	211	212	21	13
4. Acquittals	215	216	21	17
5. Decisions Pending	219	220	22	21
6. Program Dollars	23	- 2.	2	25
PART E. PERSONS DISQUALIFIED 1. Persons Disqualified During Month as a Result of Court Findings	227	220	3 2	29
Administrative Hearing Disqualifications During Month				33
PART F. COLLECTIONS	291	23	1	
Total Collected During Month (Dollar Amounts)				

PART G. COMMENTS:

PERSON AUTHORIZED BY DIRECTOR TO COMPLETE REPORT:

NAME	TITLE	TELEPHONE NUMBER	DATE .
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DPA 266 QUESTIONNAIRE

Return by June 30, 1995 to the California Department of Social Services. Information Services Bureau, 744 P Street, MS 12-84, Sacramento, CA 95814-5512, Attn: Virginia Uchida, FAX (916) 653-4880. What, if any, of the data on the DPA 266 is difficult to obtain? 1. How meaningful are the various data elements? Are there other data that 2. should be collected that would be more meaningful? Are the instructions and definitions of the various data elements clear? If not, 3. what needs to be clarified? Should counties continue to report fraud activity data for programs other than 4. AFDC and Food Stamps? Please provide a reason for either a yes or no response. Should the DPA 266 be changed from a monthly to a quarterly report? If so, 5. why? 6. Other comments and suggestions. Please provide the name and phone number of a person to contact in the event we have questions or need additional information.

Phone Number (____)